#### 5017-8122 Practitioner's Docket No. PATENT IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE #3/ Reg for Refund 10-02-01 M In re application of: Aitken et al. Application No.: 09/909,427 Group No. Filed: July 19, 2001 Examiner: For: TEST DEVICE ☐ Patent No.: Issued: \*NOTE: Insert name(s) of inventor(s) and title also for patent. Where the refund request is with respect to a maintenance fee payment, also insert application number and filing date, and add Box M. Fee to **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231 ATTENTION: Refund Section, Accounting Division, Office of Finance REQUEST FOR REFUND (37 C.F.R. 1.28(a)) I. SUBMISSION OF SMALL ENTITY STATEMENT (complete (a) or (b)) Attached is asserted. Attached is asserted. A statement claiming small entity status was filed in this application on (b) II. REFUND REQUEST charged This request for refund is made within two months of the date a fee was XXXXII in this application on 7/24/01 (Dep. Acct. 18-1829) in the amount of \$ 710.00 NOTE: The two-month period (§ 1.28(a)) is not included in the provisions for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 because it is not a period for response. Notice of November 30, 1983, 49 FR 548, January 4, 1984. 37 C.F.R 1.28(a). If the fee was changed to a deposit account, a request for refund must be filed within two months of the date of the change to the deposit account. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION (37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)) I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below, being: **MAILING FACSIMILE** ☐ transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office.

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